

Amendment No. 1 to SB0238

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AMEND Senate Bill No. 238*

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by deleting all language after the enacting clause and by substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 50-6-412(a), is amended by designating the existing language as subdivision (1) and by adding the following language as a new subdivision (2):

(2) "Secured payment of compensation" means complete compliance with the requirements of § 50-6-405 at all times required by the workers' compensation law.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 50-6-412(b)(1), is amended by adding the following sentence at the end of the subdivision:

In his or her sole discretion, the commissioner or the commissioner's designee may deviate from the amount of the penalty produced by the formula described above.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.